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THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.

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THE BANK receives MONEY ON DEPOSIT. Buys, and Sells BILLS OF EXCHANGE. ISSUES LETTERS OF CREDIT, forwards BILLS for COVERCTION, and Transacts Ranking and Agency Business generally, on terms to be had on application.

INTER T ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS : Fixed for to months, 5 per Cent. per Annum.

ON CURRENT DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS a per Cent, per Annum on the Daily Balance. E. W. RUTTER. Mangonr.

#### Prantances.

EXAMPLES OF THE COST FOF ASSURANCE TO A MAN AGED 30 NEXT BIRTHDAY. STG. payable at death, would

cost per quarter at the rate £ 6'18 o (a) If premiums are payable for whole of life

or £ 9 11 6 (6) . If premiums are limited to 20 or £11 4:6 (c) If premiums are limited to 15

or £13 00 (d) If the Sum Assured is made payable at age 50, or at death if previous. \* Secured payments.

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DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

STANDARD LIFE OFFICE 932-4] SOUTH BRITISH FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY: OF

NEW ZEALAND. HE Undersigned are prepared to accept FIRE and MARINE INSURANCES on

favourable terms. Current rates and a guaranteed Bonus equal to that paid by the local Offices. GEORGE R. STEVENS & Co.,

No. 2, Queen's Road, Hongkong. Hongkong, 31st March, 1801.

GENERAL LIFE AND FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY IN LONDON

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE and LIFE at Current Rates. REUTER, BROCKELMANN & Co.,

Hongkong, 1st July, 1880.

NOTICE.

THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED.

The above Company is prepared to accept MARINE RISKS at CURRENT RATES On GOODS. &c. Policies granted to all Parts of the world payable at any of its Agencies. WOO LIN YUEN,

Secretary. HEAD OFFICE. No. 2. OPERM'S ROAD WEEK. Hongkong, 1st February, 1882.

GENERAL NOTICE.

THE ON TAI INSURANCE COMPANY.

CAPITAL, TAELS 600,000, \$833,333-33 RESERVE FUND ...... \$318,000.00

BOARD OF DIRECTORS. LO YEUR MOON, Esq. LEE SING, Esq. LOU TSO SHUN, Esq.

MANAGER.-HO AMEL

MARINE RISKS on GOODS, &cc., taken at CURRENT RATES to all parts of the

HEAD OFFICE, 8 & 9, PRAYA WEST. Hongkong, 17th December, 1884.

# Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

OCCIDENTAL & ORIENTAL S. S. CO.

HE Undersigned has this day appointed AGENT of the above Company in Hongkong. J. S. VAN BUREN.

Hongkong, 10th July, 1891.

NOTICE.

appointed AGENT of the above Company in Hongkong. J. S. VAN BUREN,

Hongkong, 10th July, 1891.

NOTICE.

DURING my temporary absence from the Colony, Mr. WILLIAM, PENDER MACLEAN, who holds my Power of Attorney will conduct the business of The Honghone Zelegraph ..

R FRASER-SMITH, Editor and Proprietor, Hongtong, 16th June, 1691

#### Antimations.

# "CAMPHYLENE

A NEW DISINFECTANT, GERMICIDE, INSECTICIDE, AND ANTIMICROBE.

A powerful and effective Non-poisonous and Non-corresive Disinfectant for use in Sick Rooms, for fumigating Clothing, Bed Linen, &c. and for general use as an agrecable indoor Disinfectant for Closets, Lavatories, Sinks, &c.

It has a pleasant smell, and is similar to Camphor as regards its property of evaporation. The warmer the weather or climate the more S effective is its action.

Prevents Moth in Clothes, Furs, Carpets, &c. - C1 Drives away Flies, Mosquitoes, and other G Insects.

Camphylene to suit its Various Uses is Manufactured in several forms, viz.:-Balls, Solid Blocks, and Powder. The Balls and Solid Blacks- are Sold in Tins

at 50 Cents, \$1, \$1.50 and \$2 each. The Powder in Tins at 50 Cents, \$1 and \$1.50 each. The largest sizes are the cheapest in proportion.

A. S. WATSON & CO., LD.

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THE DISPENSARY, FOOCHOW.

THE DISPENSARY, HANKOW.

THE DISPENSARY, TIENTSIN.

LONDON OFFICE,

8. Fenchurch Buildings, E.C.

THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY, 27th April, 1891.

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(From J. Broadwood & Sons and Collard & Collard).

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TIANOS and ORGANS. FOR SALE, HIRE, I or Purchase by MONTHLY PAYMENTS. ..

REPAIRS and TUNING a specialty. Work

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A N INTERIM DIVIDEND at the rate of 60 cents per Share for the six months ending 30th June, 4801, will be payable on the 20th instant, when Dividend Warrants may be abtained on application at the Company's Office. No. 5, Queen's Road Central. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company

will be CLOSED from the 15th to the 20th inst. both days inclusive. A. SHELTON HOOPER, Becretary to the Agents.

Honghong, 10th July, 1891. THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA,

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

PENDING the arrival of the Acting Manager and the Completion of the Bank's Permenent Offices, the PAYMENT of the SECOND CALL of (£2) per Share has been POSTPONED until FRIDAY, the 31st Inly, 1891.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

L DOWNES. Hongroup, itth June, 1891.

Intimations.

BLACK, GREY AND BROWN FELTS

TERAL SINGLE

STRAW Hongkong; 5th June, 1801

KELLY & V	VALOE, LL
POPULAR BOOKS ON	GAMES AND SPORTS.
ssociation Foot Ball by Allcock\$0.40	Boxing by Allanson Winn
ngby Foot Ball by Vassall 0.40	Rowing and Sculling by Woodgate
veling by Griffin 0.40	Golf by W. T. Linskell
siling by E. F. Knight 0.75	Swimming by Martin Cobbell "
encing by H. A. C. Dunn	Tennis, Rackets and Fives
restling by Armstrong 0.40	Broadsword and Singlestick
ricket-by-Hon. ELyttleton 0.40-	Skating by Douglas! Adams
awn Tennis by Wilberforce	Athletics by Griffin
ymnastics by Jenkin	Stainton on Chess.
oxing by Prof. G. Smith o.co	The Whist Hand
oot Ball, its history for 5 centuries 0.50	Modern Whist by Davies.
avendish on Whist 2.00	Philosophy of Whist by Pole I
uff's Winter Turf Tuide	Whist Developments by Cavendish
rayson on Whist	Chess for Beginners2
yclonædia of Card and Table Games 4.00	Whist Universal
arietics of Whist by Aquarius 0.50	American Whist
nproved Whist by Aquarius 6.75	German and French Games at Cards d
rt of Practical Whist by Drayson 1:00	Norseman: New Game with Cards & Dice. o
	Tips for Tricyclists
ryan's Cricketers Guide 0.25	Poker and how to play it
ws of Rugby Union	
ockey by Creswell 0.25	
Poker Chips, American Squeezers, Plain a	nd Gilt Edge, Best English Playing Cards.

KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL, HONGKONG.

HAVE RECEIVED

TEW SUMMER DRESS MATERIALS IN PRINTS, ZEPHYRS, MUSLINS, DELAINES,

PONGEE, CAMBRICS,

European Dress-making on the Premises.

W. POWELL & CO.

Hongkong, 4th July, 1891

HAS JUST RECEIVED

RICKET by W. G. Grace. Athletics by Griffin. Croforth's Overland Route of America. British Empire by Micklejohn. Senis Postage Stamp Albums. Large quantity of New Cheap Literature.
Arnold's Light of the World. Arnold's Light of Asia.

Stylographic Pens. Newscuttings Albums, Scrap Books. Lancasters 2, 1 and : Cameras. New Stock of Demon Tennis Racquets.

Myrtle Grove Tobacco. Three Castles Tobacco. Whatman's Drawing Paper.

W. BREWER, UNDER HONGKONG HOTEL

#### Hongkong, 1st July, 1891 CRUICKSHANK & CO.

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REFRESHING AND COOLING DRINKS FOR THE HOT WEATHER. PURE FRUIT JUICES.

Lemon, Raspberry, Strawberry, Apple and Pear, &c., &c., Rose's Raspberry Vinegar, Montserrat Lime Juice, and Lime Juice Cordial. GRANULAR RASPBERRY CITRATE.

(Victoria Eftervescing Sallne-The universal Blood Purifier).
All requisite Medicines for the "DOG," Mange Lotion, Worm Powders, Carbolic Soap, &c., &c., JAPAN VEILCHEN PERFUMES AND SOAP, ORIZA PERFUMES SOLID, Hongkong, 25th May, 1891.



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BASS & Co. (bottled by E. & J. Buske).

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HAVE RECENTLY RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING SUNDRIES ;-DEMINGTON STANDARD TYPE WRITERS No. 5. RECHAUD SPIRIT STOVES for the NURSERY. RECHAUD SPIRIT STOVES for TRAVELLERS. SILVERPLATED TABLE PEPPER MILLS.

INRICKSHA and CARRIAGE LAMPS. The NEW "AQUARIUM" WASHSTAND SETS. SWIMMING BELTS. REGULATION MILITARY RAIN COATS. SMITH'S GLASGOW TOBACCOS

Hongkong, 8th July, 1801.

NOTICE THE CHINA BORNEO COMPANY,

LIMITED.

MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the

ending grat December, 1890. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, 3rd July, 1891,

THE HONGKONG & WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE:

THE CERTIFICATE of One Share in this the Register in the name of Messrs. DUNN, Agents No. 6, Ice House Lane, on SATURDAY, the 18th instant, at Noon, for the purpose of conshare will be issued fourteen days hence, and receiving the Report of the Directors together with a Statement of Accounts for the half year ending sist December, 1800.

#### Auctions.

POSTPONEMENT PUBLIC AUCTION.

I ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have received instructions from the Official Liquidator

HONGKONG MARINA, LIMITED, PUBLIC AUCTION,

> MONDAY. the 13th July, 1891, at 2 p.m., instead of as previously advertised,

(with the approbation of the Chief Justice). The FLOATING HOTEL "HONGKONG MARINA" with her ANCHORS, CHAIN PUMPS, AWNINGS, FITTINGS, &c., as she now lies in the Harbour, and immediately afterwards the FURNITURE and HOTEL FIT-TINGS, including:-TEAK DINING TABLES, VIENNA CHAIRS, MIRRORS, Tapestry, and Leather Covered COUCHES IRON BEDSTEADS with Spring and Hall MATTRESSES, SHIP'S WASHSTANDS and CIBIN FURNITURE. SWING LAMPS, WINDPROOF LAMPS, COOKING RANGES TEAK BAR and FITTINGS. OFFICE FURNITURE, ELECTRO-PLATED WARE, GLASS WARE, CROCKERY, CUTTERY &c., &c. "

A STEAM LAUNCH. A BILLIARD TABLE, by Lazarus, Calcutta. A quantity of WINES, SPIRITS, BEERS,

Catalogues with Conditions of Sale will be A plan and description of the ship may be

seen at the Auctioneer's office.

printed in Catalogues will remain in force, substituting dates one week later than those men-The steam-launch Leung On will run from Pedder's Wharf every half-hour from x p.m. to

3 p.m., and afterwards every hour until 5 p.m.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.,

AUSTIN HOTEL.

The Particulars and Conditions of Sale as

Auctioneers. Hongkong, 6th July, 1801.

## Motels.

NOW OPEN.

SELECT FAMILY and RESIDENTIAL HOTEL, situated 1,400 feet above the sea level, commanding on the one side a magnificent view of the Harbour with the Mainland in the distance, and on the other of hills and mountains, with the sea beyond dotted with islands as for as the eye can reach, surrounded by extensive

three good Tennis Courts. The Mount Promenade alone is nearly an acre in extent. . The Hotel is replace with every accommoda-

promenades and pleasure grounds, including

tion for Families and Gentlemen. The Manager, Mr. ROBERT ISHERWOOD will be assisted by an Efficient Lady Staff, and the Hotel will be conducted upon the best Eng lish system. The accommodation comprises a spacious Dining Hall, Private Dining Rooms, Drawing, Reading, Smoking, Grill, Billiard, and Private Sitting Rooms, with Fifty-four Bedrooms each provided with separate Bath-room and

every convenience. Tramway Tickets will be supplied to Visitors at Reduced Rates.

For terms apply to the Secretary at the Company's Office, 38 and 40, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong. Hongkong, 1st June, 1801.

## BAY VIEW HOTEL.

A IR. OSBORNE begs to announce that this convenient half-way House on Shau-kiwan Road is now open. The HOTEL commands a beautiful View,

There is a convenient landing jetty opposite the Hotel for launches.

The best Brands of WINES, LIQUORS,

and is situated in a cool and breezy spot.

CIGARS, &c., always on Stock. MEALS can be served at any hour. Prompt attendance. Hongkong, 14th May, 1891. THE SHAMEEN

BRITISH CONCESSION, CANTON. THIS FIRST CLASS HOTEL, admirably situated within a few minutes walk of the River Steamer Wharves, is now open to receive

The Bed-rooms are cool, airy and comfortably furnished, and the spacious Dining Room, Sitting Rooms, and accommodation generally will be ward of the Engines. Second Class Passengers, are Berthed in the Poop. A Refrigerating. found equal to the best Hotels in the Far East The Table D'Hôte is supplied with every luxury in season, and the cuisine is in experienced hands. .Wines; Spirits, Mait Liquors, etc.; of the best

A. F. DO ROZARIO, Manager. of all fifther year is at Hongkong, 4th November, 1890,

#### HONGKONG & WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, noision LIMITED. to die

C'HIPMASTERS AND ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that, if upon their arrival in this HARBOUR anne of the COMPANY'S FOREMEN should be at hand ORDERS FOR REPAIRS, If sent to the HEAD: 100 to 100 to OFFICE ONOOIE4, Praya Central, will receive

the Company as null and void.

D. GILLIES,

Hopphoon, seth August, 1885.

Shipping. STEAMERS.

DOUGLAS STEAM-SHIP COMPANY,

THE Company's Steamship "HAILOONG." Captain Roach, will be despatched for t

FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAMSUI.

above Ports . TO-MORROW, the 12th July, at For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,

General Managers. Hongkong, 8th July, 1801. THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAMSHIP

COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SWATOW AND BANGKOK. "HE Company's Steamship

"PHRA NANG" Captain W. H. Watton, will be despatched for above Ports on MONDAY, the 13th inst.

. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Agents. Manakana, oth July, 1801 "SHIRE" LINE OF STEAMERS,

FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA. THE Steamship "RADNORSHIRE," Captain Davies, R.N.R., will be despatched as above on or about the 13th inst.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hangkong, 6th July, 1891. THE CHINA SHIPPERS MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Company's Steamship "PINGSUEY," J. C. Jaques, Commander, will be despatched as above on or about the 17th July.

FOR LONDON.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Hongkong, 7th July, 1801. FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE, AND

YOKOHAMA

For Freight, apply to

THE Steamship "LENNOX." Captain Swinnerton, will be despatched as above on or about the 17th inst. For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Honekong, 10th July, 1891.

EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAM-SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND ADELAIDE

(Calling at TIMOR, PORT DARWIN, and QUEENS-

LAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to

NEW ZEALAND, TASMANIA, &C.) THE Steamship "GUTHRIE," Captain P. Helms, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 18th inst., at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Hongkong, 'tst July, 1801. AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM

NAVIGATION COMPANY. STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, AND BOMBAY. Having connection with Company's Mall Steamer to ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID,

HE Company's Steamship

P.M. prior to date of skiling.

Captain G. Costanzo, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 20th inst., at NOON, (Taking Cargo at through rates to CALCUTTA, MADRAS, PERSIAN GULF, BLACK SEA, LEVANT, and ADRIATIC PORTS).

Cargo will not be received on board after

TRIESTE, VENICE AND FIUME.

For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Hongkong, 7th July, 1801.

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY.

LIMITED.

FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY AND MELEOURNE HE Company's Steamship "CHANGSHA," J. E. Williams, Commander, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 20th July. The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. First Class Saloon and Cabins are situated for-

Chamber ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions during the entire voyage. A duly qualified Surgeon is carried. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, 8th July, 1891.

SAILING VESSELS. FOR NEW YORK. HE 3/3 L. I. I. British Bark

"CALBURGA," Douglas, Master, will load here for the above Port and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to SHEWAN & Co. Hongkong, 19th June, 1891.

No. 618, S.C.

named Lodge will be held in FREEMASOMS? HALL, Zetland Street, on MONDAY next, the instant, at Bigo for o p.m. procisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited. Hongkong, 6th July, 18gr.

REGULAR MEETING of the above

#### "THE HONGKONG TELEGRAPH."

THE LEADING NEWSPAPER IN THE FAR EAST.

The Hongkong Telegraph has just completed the first decade of its existence.

On the 15th June, 1881, the first issue was sent forth.

The platform then adopted was "to accurately and fairly represent the feelings and expressed wishes of the community." That is still our

The method adopted was "to publish everything that is good for the public to know, and interesting to read." That'is still our method.

Several important improvements in the printing department are contemplated, and the size of the Telegraph will shortly be increased by several columns, for advertising purposes.

The Telegraph aims at giving the earliest, freshest, and most accurate local and general news, and it generally gets there.

The staff consists of four dukes and a prize fighter, who speak all the dead languages and several that are seriously ill.

the Telegraph men to where any news is lying concealed, Our contemporaries generally do the rest of the lying unconcealed.

Our ten years' record shows more fact and fun to the square inch than could be found in all the other papers if they lived to be a thousand.

Public scandals, "fishy" deeds, official venality, "log-rolling," and indeed everything calculated to injure the interests of the community receive scant mercy at our hands.

Authenticated communications likely to interest intelligent men are always welcome.

.. Those ventilating petty individual grievances are fed to the goat.

The Telegraph has advocated every public reform obtained since it came into existence, and some not yet achieved. But we are still at

It has vigorously, and often successfully, opposed vexatious legislation, both local and

The Telegraph is listened to by the powers that be, because it never sullies its columns by grinding somebody's axe.

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People of a certain class have never a good word to say for the Telegraph—but they read it just the same; they watch its course much the same as a pickpocket watches a policeman.

This class know that they need not watch the ordinary low-down prints which once passed for newspapers, before the real thing was introduced, and which are now known to be as much use as a dead blue-bottle.

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REFRESHING WHOLESOME DRINK.

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VERITABLE LEMON SQUASH AERATED, COOLING, THIRST QUENCHING.

PER DOZEN 50 CENTS.

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The purest ingredients only are used, and the utmost care and cleanliness are exercised in the manufacture throughout. LARGE BOMBAY

"SODAS" We continue to supply large bottles as heretofore, free of Extra Charge, to those of our Customers who prefer to have them to the ordinary size.

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A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED, Hongkong, China, and Manila.

TO SUBSCRIBERS.

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REMINDED THAT ALL SUBSCRIPTIONS

BIRTH.

On the 6th inst., at Shanghai, the wife of HENRY H. JOSEPH, of a son.



Hongkong, Saturday, July 11, 1891.

THE PROPOSED CHINESE

CONSULATE. Excellency's purpose admirably. No THAT immaculate association known as doubt he did, for we cannot forget that the Hongkong Chamber of Commerce is Sir Richard legitimized gambling and once more letting us know of its existence, some equally immoral and objectionable for although nothing is said in the courses, and the present incumbent would advertisement in another column as to have been, if not a Gordon Cumming, or the authority, which has assumed the after his own heart in this direction. Still responsibility of calling the public meeting times change, and the gambling mania of for Wednesday next, it is understood to Sir Richard MacDonnell's day is not a of charge) so cunningly that nobody knows the have been done at the instance of this popular cry to-day, that is if Mr. J. J. body. Once a year we are made aware | Kaswick and Mr. E. R. Belilios are All the crowned heads in China, Japan, Siam, of its existence by the Chairman imitating to be considered authorities on the the President of the British Association at subject. Not only are the Chinese We are regularly interdicted in Russis, Spain, home, and treating the public to his views entitled to a Consular representative here onmatters commercial, social, and political. by considerations of Treaty rights, policy, We cater for all classes, but champion the He favoured us this year, in anaddress of and commercial utility, but we maintain considerable ability, with his views that the appointment will be peculiarly It doesn't always pay-but we are not running generally upon there subjects, and the beneficial in assisting in the developcommunity no doubt were proportionately ment of the commercial interests of We are therefore able to supply subscribers edified. Now, we conclude, we are to Great Britain, as well as the minor have this gentleman's views upon an local commercial interests of the essentially political matter, namely the Colony. In our opinion the Chamber of burning question of a Chinese Consul to Commerce is making an unusually be or not to be. Considering that the asinine, exhibition of itself in this every prospect of the present boisterous, wet appointment has been made by the matter, and is carried away by the Foreign Office, and the Taungli Yamen exuberance of He own vertically and senthern part of Colombo has been floeded. They may perer enter heaven again.

duly notified; considering also how self-importance, oblivious altogether of the unlikely it is that the appointment would fact that this is a question soaring above have been made unless its advantages or the interests of the selfish few who are disadvantages had been weighed by Lord trying to make this colony a pocket Salisbury, it does seem as if the energetic borough purely and simply. A privilege that little Chairman of the Chamber will Singapore has been accorded, and which exhibit himself, in this matter, in an has been found to work admirably, in attitude no more dignified than that of assisting the Executive in the preservation Alax defying the lightning. We have of order in a centre under the domination seldom read a more feeble case than has of a variety of secret societies not in been made out by our contemporaries existence in Hongkong, is to be denied to opposing the measure. The Daily Press the loyal and orderly native classes reproduces Sir RICHARD MACDONNELL'S here, because the Chamber of Commerce despatches on this subject, written nearly "hop-o-my-thumbs" on whom individually a quarter of a century ago, when the (with the exception of a very few) and question was first proposed, and endeavours collectively we would not stake a hair-pin to show that the arguments then adduced for intelligence or discretion, have got have the same weight and effect as now. some feminine idea that their rights are Is this so? Governor MacDonnell, in the assailed. Sarah Gamp considered she had first instance, takes exception to the fact that some sort of prerogative in her pickings the appointment of a Consul had not only from the patients' delicacies, and so far as not been initiated by the Chinese authorities we can see, viewing it from whatever point but was actually an impromptu suggestion we may, the Hongkong Chamber of of the British Minister, and, by inference, Commerce has a prerogative equally he tries to make it his strong point that it shadowy with that of Sarah's, and one will be time to consider the appointment which, if we mistake not, will have about when officially applied for through the as impractical and ludicrous a result proper channels. In the meantime he in the end. concludes by saying "Altogether neither , nor my executive, nor the representa-TELEGRAMS. tives of the commercial and general interests of Hongkong in the Legislative Council, are able to see in what manner TRIPLE ALLIANCE. the legitimate interests of Great Britain LONDON, July 3rd. or China are to be benefited by adopting this most unnecessary and uncalled-for

suggestion of Sir R. Arcock." Throughout

the whole of Governor MACDONNELL's

despatch His Excellency harps on this point,

though the objection he advances against

the establishment of the Imperial Maritime

Customs here has since been rendered

inapplicable by its establishment, and by its

working harmoniously and well since,

as even the Daily Press admits.

The second objection denies that China is

in the same position as other Treaty

powers. That may have been to some

extent true in 1869, but palpably does not

hold good in the good year of 1891

Diplomatic and Consular repreventatives

have been appointed to Foreign nations

throughout the world; 'China has been'

admitted to the comity of nations, and

although she does not progress with the

alacrity that Western nations would desire

she is gradually adopting foreign methods

and systems as quickly as seems judicious

to her rulers; foreign nations vie with one

another for the Empire's patronage, and

it was only the other day we witnessed the

unusual spectacle of the Emperor himself

Celestial court etiquette and advocating

the rights of foreigners, promising that the

whole machinery of the Empire should be

set in motion for their protection. China

has successfully held her own since 1869

against two great European powers

separately, and has fairly earned the title

to be considered in Far Eastern matters,

yet, forsooth, we are called to-day to

witness in Hongkong the sight of our

puny would-be dictators stepping out into

the public arena, brandishing their swords

at the "Venerable hills" opposite and

demanding, nay, insisting, that a slap in the

face should be given to this great Empire

such as would almost amount to a casus

bell' with any less enduring and peacefully

Governor MacDonnell lays stress upon in

rife on the coast, and the Chinese Govern-

ment were helpless to subdue it. Our

readers can themselves say whether or not

this fact still holds good. 2nd-That the

Chinese are great at the art of squeezing.

Well, how does that affect the question? We

are all more or less tarred with the same

brush in 'this respect; it is simply an

Incident peculiar to the Chinese system of

boldly shaking off the trammels

FRANCE AND RUSSIA OBJECT TO THE

There is a growing irritation in France in consequence of the renewal of the Triple Alliance. The Russian newspapers consider the alliance is a menace requiring a promp alllance between France and Russia.

THE EMPEROR WILLIAM IN HOLLAND His Majesty the Emperor of Germany has arrived at Amsterdam, and was received on landing by the Queen, of the Netherlands and the Queen Regent. The welcome given to the Emperor by the people was most cordial and is honour of the visit a great number of festivities are taking place.

ATTEMPTED TREK BY BOERS. One hundred armed Boers attempted to enter Mashonaland, but were prevented by the Chartered Company, who arrested the Boer

THE FREE EDUCATION BILL.

The House of Commons has finally passed the Education Bill.

IRISH ELECTIONS. An anti-Parnellite has been elected for Carlow. Parnell regarded this as a test election.

A TYPHOON THREATENED.

The Spanish Consulkindly forwards a telegram received to-day from Bolingo, which says that the depression in the Pacific is returning to the North, and another exists in the China Sea .--Dr. Doberck says it is west of Luzon.

#### LOCAL AND GENERAL.

THE Dockyard Police are agitating for more

THE tea ex Empress of Japan arrived at New York on the oth inst.

THE French man-of-war Inconstant returned to Shanghai on Saturday. THE Duke of Portland subscribes for every newspaper in England.

H.B.M.S. Swift 1-ft Shanghai for Wuhu last Monday morning to relieve the Linnet.

THE Wusleh rioters have been put on tris

Two Magistrates are presiding over the tribunal and it is expected that the trial will soon be disposed race. The only other points concluded, A LITTLE girl prayed the other night: "Lord

> baking powder," And yet some people say it doesn't pay to advertise. WE are informed by the agent of the Messageries Maritimes that the Company's steamer Mel bourns, with the next French mail, left Salgon

make me pure-make me absolutely pure, like

TWELVE of the students who defended Queen Natalie have died of their wounds, but if public opinion means anything their deaths will be the turning point in Servis's history.

for this port, at 4 a.m. to-day.

taxation. It concerns themselves alone. AT the meeting of St. John Lodge the other night two handsome Past Master's jewels were They all do it, and submit to the system presented to I.P.M.W. Baker and P.M.G.J.W. with universal complacency, if not King, in recognition of their services. with satisfaction. The parting shot

A SHANGHAI contemporary hears that Captain which Sir RICHARD fired off was that Burr is shortly to proceed to Behring Sea in the Kowloon Magistrate answered His on Sunday to serve on a commission.

> in the woodshed. Tramp (closely examining the made, it will be a very significant one. biscuits)—Are they as bad as that?

BEFORE Mr. Wise to-day a Chinaman was sent to prison for fourteen days for stealing ten cattles of beef from the Argyle and Sutherland Highlanders'mess. He confessed his fault, but pleaded that he wanted it to mend his boots.

ST. PETER'S SEAMEN'S CHURCH.—The Mission steam-launch Day Spring will call alongside vessels hoisting code pennant C between 9 and 10.30 s.m. on Sunday to convey men ashore to the II o'clock service, returning about 12.30.

COMPLYING with the requests of many of our readers we again continue to supply a weekly report of the share business done on the Rialto. The information is obtained from the most trustworthy sources and can be thoroughly relied upon as being correct. The report of the past week's business will be found in our Commercial column.

AN Indian contemporary says that the southwest monsoon this year threatens to be one of exceptional severity, the damage it has already occasioned having been great, while there is weather continuing for some time to come. The result of the heavy rains has been that the whole

THE Ceylon pearl fishery last season was the THE Shanghai Land Investment Company, second largest on record during the present

MESSRS. Butterfield & Swire inform us that the Ocean Steamship Co.'s steamer Fason, from Liverpool, left Singapore on the afternoon of the 8th inst., and is due on the 14th.

A CORRESPONDENT of the N. C. Daily News writes that riot- were attempted on the 25th and 26th of June at Tsingkinngpu and at Hualan Fu on the Grand Canal, but were suppressed by the officials, no serious damage being done.

WE are marching on. Thirty years ago the King of Slam was content with a set of sapanwood masticators, and was shy about letting folk know of the fact, but now we read that a rajah, that of Tontoll in the Celebes, has arrived at Macassar with a following of chiefs, on his way to Singapore, to get false teeth put in. He has got the permission of Government for the voyage, which probably will cost him a set of gold teeth

HONOLULU is threatened with a water famine. "Once more." says the Commercial Adversiser, "the pires discharge into our ice pitchers a rich London on the same day (July ard.) The N. C. gravy of a faded Krakatoa afterglow. Once more the festive captain cranes his neck around corners and through fences to see if some customer is surreptitiously running the hose in his back yard and getting more soup from the storage reservoirs than the law allows." The Legislature some time ago made an appropriation for season is not without promise, the construction of new storage reservoirs, but nothing has yet been done to improve the situa-

NEWS has been received at Shanghai of the death at Nice. of Mr. William Hunter, formerly of Canton, in his 81st year. Mr. Hunter who was a native of Alexandria, in Virginia, first came to China in 1825, leaving for good in 1868, He was a partner in the house of Russell & Co. from 1837 to 1842, and was afterwards connected with the firm of Messrs. Augustine, Heard Co. He published two books as the result of his long residence in the Far East-"The Fankwae at Canton," and "Bits of Old China," interesting works of foreign life in China before the Treaty

THE P. and O. fleet is, we understand, about be further increased. In addition to the passenger steamers Himalaya and Australia, at present under construction by Messrs. Caird & Co., the Company have purchased a steamer on stocks to replace the Hongkong and have made further contracts with Messrs. Caird & Co.. the Naval Construction and Armaments Co Barrow, for two ships each of a type similar the Bombay class, but with larger capacity and higher speed. These ships will be name respectively the Aden, Java, Manila, Malacca and Formosa.

Hongkong is a lovely place. Some people so attracted that bolts and bars will not keep them away, nor fear of death deter them. Chan Hing is this way. He has suffered various terms of martyrdom, from three months for felony up to a year for burglary, ever since 1887. Early last year the Government quietly removed him; but, true till death, he returned to his old love, and and was run in for twelve months for "returning from banishment." He was free in May last, and was again put out; but love is stronger than iron bands, and he came again, only to be sent up to-day for a year more.

THE Sydney City and Suburben Retail Produce Merchants' Association has just issued a circular dealing with the question of Chinese competition. The circular asserts that "the Chinese must go," and points out that although the number Chinese in Australia is decreasing, the 15,000 or 16.000 remaining are doing an immense amount of injury to existing trades. It is argued that the Chinese do not, as other aliens, stand on the common platform of citizenship, but go there merely to smass wealth for China. In order to avoid this unequal competition it is suggested that every wholesale merchant shall refuse to sell to a Chinese who cannot prove by his habits of life that he has made that his adopted home. All Australians are asked to assist in doing away with this unfair competition.

AT the Magistracy to-day two Chinamen, one of whom is brother of the youthful 'plunger' Tso now figuring prorainently, in the sensational conspiracy prosecution, were charged with having in their possession a quantity of contraband opium, Mr. Phillippo defended. Five farm certificates were produced, all in the name of Mr. Tso. None were in the second defendant's name. The farm tester proved that some of the opium was not farm opium. Some was of an old brand, previous to the present farm's tenure, Mr. Phillippo called for the production by the farm of samples of the old brand, to compare with that produced a and he asked for a remand for that purpose. He wished to have an independent tester. A fine of \$3 or ten days was imposed on the second man, and the first was remanded until Monday, on bail of \$100.

A SHANGHAI contem porary says :- A correspon-

dent at Tientsin write:s, under date the 20th Tune! that all was quiet the re, everybody laughing at the ridiculous panie that (it is supposed there) has seized Shanghai, with its men-of-war, solunteers, steamers, etc., while Tientsin has no gunboat within hundreds of miles, and steamers only occasionally at the bund. It is a mistake, are confined to certain months of the year. we are told, to suppose that Li is remaining passive, as he is much slarmed, and is using al his influence to maintain order. There report, we learn, which remarkably corroborates Mr. Drummond's theory that Li is trying to push Anhul men to the front in preference to Hunan men. It is, that Liu Ming-chuan is, to be H.B.M.S. Propoles, which arrived at that port appointed to assist the Viceroy Liu Kun-yi, at Nagasaki branch, has also been superseded by Nanking, as a sort of special commissioner, a native. should his health permit of it when he returns MRS. NEWWED (handing tramp several biscuits) from Formosa. Liu Ming-chuan, as is well -Here, my poor man, are some of my home known, is an Anhui man and a special protege made biscuits. You will find the saw and are of Li Hung-chang, and if this appointment is THE brokers went muttering to and fro,

There was something on. They were all in "We'll never reach Heaven above" they cried -Let's syndicate one for ourselves below.

So they hired a Paradise fair and wide, In Queen's Road Central. Just inside Were the jasper columns and shining floor, With which orthodox Heavens should be

There were many manslons to let; and more For the use of the saints themselves. Before The chairman's throne the seats of the blest Were set, to the number of several score. Here shall they cease not, nor shall they rest From fervent worship of scrip "at best."

And "Banks" and "Sugars" and heavenly Are themes to be dwelt on with plous zest, But the "outside man" and "short-seller" clings

Among the scraphs the y'd wave their wings. It may not be. Shall outsiders stain That shining floor ? Their hopes are vain. Till they buy their seat on the golden shore

Despairing to the chance that brings

Some joy of Mammen worship; and fain

Limited, has declared a dividend of two and a half per cent, for the half year ended 30th of June.

LORD Salisbury, stout and indolent as he may now seem, has been a hard worker, and in 1852, when he was Robert Cecil, visited the Bendigo and Ballarat gold-fields, where he lived in a tent, did his own washing and cooking, and dug and gathered nuggets.

BEFORE the Acting Harbour Master to-day the master of the steam launch Fi-fung was charged by Sergeant Niven, of the water police, with overcrowding his launch. The prosecutor said that the launch was returning from the Oceanic, which arrived yesterday, and that he counted or adults and seven children. The launch was licensed to carry 62 passengers and five crew, so that she had 30 in excess, besides being piled up sky-high with luggage. A fine of \$100 was

THE first of the new season's tex, sent forward per Empress of Japan, from Shanghai June 5th, was sold in New York on July 3rd, or 28 days, from the date of shipment. Teas by the Moyune, which left on May 28th, were sold in Daily News hears that the Moyune's teas are doing fairly well in London, nearly 40,000 packages having been sold already. Fine teas are quoted 3d to 4d. a pound below, and common teas id. a pound above, last year's opening rates, so that at present the outlook for the

THE people of Samarang (Java) complain a surfelt of entertainments. The circus of Klaer and Abel, the Ida Poli Rosa troupe, Harmston's Circus and the switchback rallway have been too much for them. The new Italian Opera Company in Batavia has been playing to very poor houses, although the company is said to be a very good one. A writer in the Java Bods says it would make a true lover of art sad to see so many empty places, and he would be ashamed to live in a place where a circus proprietor had been made rich and Stanley's petticoated singers had been paid with gold whilst there is hardly a cent left to support an able impresario in his artistic struggle.

THE Lebel rifle was used with terrible effect during the recent disturbances, at Fourmies. Reports made by experts show that each of the little steel balls, which it discharges with such tremendous velocity, went through the bodies of three victims in succession. Although so much smaller than an ordinary leaden builet, some of the balls ploughed holes about 4 inches square in the wall of a little drinking shop in the line of fire at the opposite end of the square from that in which the troops were drawn up. Forty soldiers fired, and practically they only fired once, because the first time they aimed high up in the air, yet the number of killed was seven. and the wounded were counted by scores. Some of the latter had hideous looking wounds in two three, and in some cases four different parts of the body. M. Carnot was prompt to order shooting, but he would probably have hesitated had he realised what the employment of the Lebel rifle would mean.

AT the Magistracy to-day three men of the Li Yun shop, 117 and 119 Jervois Street, were brought up on remand from last week charged with being in possession of 12% packages of Maiwa opium and 22 of Persian without a permit. Mr. Holmes defended, and called the master of the shop, who said that the opium had been in his store some time ago, and a permit was produced, to cover possession at that date of one chest of Persian. The opium was then shipped to Amoy for sale, but failing that it had to be returned to him. He maintained that the permit still was valid. The Excise Officer contended that it must then be a fraud against the Export Department, giving false particulars stating "one chest Persian" whereas it was really part Malwa. Mr. Holmes replied that that was immaterial, as the chest itself was marked "Persian," so that the description in the permit was correct. The case was ultimately adjourned for further inquiry to be made into the statement of the defence.

CONSIDERABLE alterations (says the Japan Gazatte) have been and are taking place in the machinery of the Nippon Yusen Kalsha. The Internal changes, however, are now almost not quite completed; and the further changes contemplated will have connection with the outward and visible sighs of the company. The Nippon Yusen Kaisha, according to the Hochi, is meditating the advisability starting some new lines. It is rumoured that a Russian Company is, under the auspices of its Government, about to open a line of steamers between Vladivostock and Hongkong wia Korean ports, Shanghai, Chefoo, etc. The Nippon Yusen Kaisha regards a line including the Korean ports as a very profitable route, and has decided that if the Russian Company carry its scheme into effect, it will immediately start a rival line and enter foto sharp competition. We are not unnaturally tempted to ask why the N. Y. K. feels constrained to wait for the Russian line to be opened first? We should have thought the Company would have preferred to be first in the field to secure whole instead of half profits, The Nippon Yusen Kaisha's most paying lines at present are the Korean and Hokkaido lines, although the profits of the latter line The Yokkaichi line is said to pay scarcely its expenses. The Kokkai announces that Mr. Yoshitako Sciichiro has taken the place of Mr. Graham as agent in Shanghai; Mr. Ogawa Zenkichi that of Mr. Plate in Kobe : and Mr. Iwansga .- Selichi that of Mr. Hepburn in Yokohama. Mr. Duns, the manager of the

#### THE HONGKONG ELECTRIC .COMPANY....

The second ordinary general, meeting of shareholders in this company was held at noon to-day. Mr. H. L. Dalrymple presided, and there were present Messrs. L. J. Keswick, C. S. Sharpe, C. A. Ozorio, J. F. C. da Rosa, R. Lyall, F. W. Cross, G. Fenwick, A. G. Stokes, W. Jackson. Capt, Hamilin, S. I. Danby, Mr. Wickham (manager), and the Secretary.

The Chairman said :- Gentlemen, with your permission we will take as read the report and accounts to soth April last, which have been in your possession some little time. Your sugineer's report attached gives you a clear statement of the progress in the erection of the company's works and machinery, and I think considering the short, time the company has been in active work-since 1st December lastthat the accounts may be considered satisfactory, and I hope in the current twelve months we may see our operations extended both as to public and private lighting, The additional land acquired from the Government at the upset price to the eastward of our original lot has been partially utilised for the construction of a water tank, and on another portion of it it has been decided to erect quarters for the European staff. The site is a good one and we have deemed it in the interests of the company to have the working staffon the premises. There will still be space to

admit of considerable extension of the company's works, should this at a future date be found necessary. In any case we considered it advisable to secure this adjacent land. With regard to the accounts, I would mention that since they were made up we have received payment of \$4,000 on account of the unpaid calls merce, and asserting dominant control of lisoutstanding on April 30th last, which will leave about \$3,600 still to come in. Before moving the adoption of the report and accounts. I shall be pleased to answer any question you may desire

Mr. Cross asked whether the directors intended to extend the operations of the Electric Company in the direction of repairs of electric plant on board ships in the harbour, or to go in for electric lighting at all in connection with the shipping trade. There was a great field for them in that live, and he thought the company should undertake repairs and general work in connection with electric machinery on ships. He knew something of electric lighting work, and he thought the company would arrive at a. point sometime beyond which they could not expect to Increase, except very gradually; so that they should look out for some fresh branch, which would increase year by year and add to the prosperity of the company.

The Chairman said that the matter had not been lost sight of by the directors, who had had it under consideration for some time. They were quite prepared to take up the branch suggested, and intended to push it vigorously. There certainly was a very great field for them, and it would no doubt bring the Company into a prosperous and paying condition. The matter was certainly not lost sight of.

the Chairman proposed, Mr. Stokes seconded. and it was agreed unanimously, that the report and accounts as published be adopted.

seconded, and it was agreed that the retiring directors, Mr. Keswick and Mr. A. P. Stokes, be re-elected.

The Chairman proposed, Mr. Jackson seconded, and it was agreed that the auditors, Mr. Gresham Stewart and Mr. McIntyre, be re-elected. This concluded the business of the meeting.

#### THE TRANS-PACIFIC CABLE.

The following communication has been addressed to the Japan Herald by Admiral Belknap, and will be read with interest by all engaged in commerce throughout the East :-

Referring to the editorial in your Issue of the 25th inst, concerning the proposed submarine cable across the Pacific, I beg to say that while the Tuscarora survey made in 1874 did not promise feasibility for the Northern route, owing to the great depths, met at certain localities of the ocean, on the route taken, I submitted the opinion to the Government of the United States at the conclusion of that survey, that a more Northerly line of soundings would probably develop a route of depth sufficiently moderate for the purpose in question. Such route would skirt closely the Eastern coasts of Dal Nippon and Yesso, the Kurile group and the peninsula of Kamschatka to Cape Kaslof in lat. of about 54.30' N.—thence Eastward to Attou, the North westernmost island of the Alcutian chainwhence the route Eastward, along that chain and across the Gulf of Alaska to Puget Sound is all plain sailing, easy and practicable.

I do not understand that there is insurmountable difficulty attendant upon the successful laying of a telegraphic cable in depths of 4000 fathoms or 4600 fathoms and more, but to grapple and raise a cable for repairs at those great depths would tax the skill and ingenuity of the seaman and engineer to the utmost, as all will recognize who have ever had occasion to was 3,448 fathoms, so that that route may be haul back from great depths any weight, howsoever light. When the fact is recalled that the pressure increases a ton per square inchapproximately stated-for every mile of descent. the enormous strain and friction upon wire or repe and appliances, working in four and five miles depths, will be more strikingly apprehended.

The point selected for the midway station of this Northern line was Glory of Russia Bay. anchoring depth, safe, capacious, and with sandy torily. The guarantors are not likely to be Prince of Wales by a crowd bearing any claim to beach, and fresh water in abundance close at called upon.

investment by such line would probably never assets, \$43,000,000. pay-and the likelihood of a cable being laid across that region of the Pacific is doubtless very remote-unless indeed, unexpected political developments demand telegraphic communica-

tion by that route. As regards the proposed line for a cable from Yokohama to the west coast of the United States, via the Bonin and Hawailan Islands, I consider it not only practicable but certain that the newspaper press has caused a terrible a cable will be laid by that zoute in the not sensation throughout Great Britain, and it is distant future.

great and varied development, growth and many years past in England. prosperity.

tal railways and trans-Pacific steamship lines, subject. coupled with the enormous natural resources of populations, already great, all along the West royal displeasure may yet be felt in several directors of the Panama Canal Company. He coasts of the United States and of the Dominion | quarters. of Canada, while the digging of the canal across and the Pacific. No Asiatic country will pro- betrayal of the secret. numerous sich island groups in mid-ocean, the Sir William was proud-looking, cool, and entirely denunciations of the Prince are accompanied by commercial promise and stimulating effects that self-possessed. There was no trace in his regrets at his nearness to the threne. "struction by the Government of Russia.

casual observer the great importance and inestim- | they will spend their honeymoon. able value of the Hawaiian Islands as a strategic There were exactly thirteen people in the point and commercial centre. Situated in mid- church when the Baronet led Miss Garner before North Pacific the group looks out on every hand | the altar to make her his wife, and some of these | protests against his continuance in the army." towards grand opportunities of trade, political were workmen repairing the big organ, who aggrandizement, and polyglot intercourse. Not kept up a hammering throughout the ceremony, to connect the great bases of commerce and neither knowing nor caring anything about the political power-within the Pacific-by means of temperary public interest in the people gathered a telegraphic cable, with such a marked point of around them. Six persons came with the wed-

ultimately reached, is to discredit the hitherto who were getting married. The thirteenth man be content with anything less than action by the taries Tracy and Foster, and the District commercial courage, tireless purpose, and bust was the New York World correspondent. ness prescionce of the Angle-Saxon race, for bably independent banner of Australia, the There were no music, flowers nor friends, yet, strended by Secretary Stanbope, the Duke of officers of the Omana will receive severe trait. deplia se of the Pacific He, in good measure, is despite all this Garner locked not only | Cambridge, the Duke of Connaught, General | month

the hellow of the hands of the great kindred peoples who, aside from the admirable quarter occupied by Japan, are impregnably planted on the most commanding positions and resourceful countries of its vast shores, already giving a common language to the formulas of its com-

political thought and action. In a lesser degree the Bonin Islands must also be regarded as an important point in the Pacific as a telegraphic station and coal depot in the coming day of cable extension and increased commercial activity.

The distance from Port Lloyd of the Bonins to the entrance of Yokohama Bay is some 500 miles. On that line the Tuscarora made 14 soundings-only 9 of which were in depths greater than 500 fathoms The deepest cast was had in 2435 fathoms—22 statute miles—the single depth beyond 2000 fathoms, found on that

The laying of a cable to Port Lloyd from Cape King or its immediate vicinity would therefore be an easy matter.

Between Pert Lloyd and Honolulu, 59 sound-Ings were made, the deepest being in 3287 fathoms or 32 statute miles. The depths were found to be irregular and the contour of the ocean bed anything but the plateau-like bed of the Atlantic where the cables connecting Europe with North America are laid. Indeed the existence of six submarine mountains was disclosed varying in height from 7000 feet to 8,600 feet. As the distance between the soundings, however, was from 40 to 100 miles or more, t is believed that the acclivities of their cleva--tions are so gentle that no serious obstruction to As there were no further questions or remarks, the successful laying of a cable would result from such irregularity of the ocean bed in that region.

The routes from Honolulu either to San Diego, or to San Francisco, present no special Mr. Fenwick proposed, Mr. A. G. Stokes difficulties. On both lines, with the exception of one submarine elevation found on each route. the descent of the ocean bed from the coast of California to the Hawaiian Islands is gentle and regular, and the bottom most favorable for the reception of the cable. The deepest water found on the San Diego line was 3054 fathoms; on the San Francisco line 3115 fathoms-both depths close to the islands, or some 300 miles only from Maui of that group.

The money recently appropriated by Congress for the farther work on these routes will be expended by the U.S. Hydrographic Office in making a supplementary survey. Soundings will be made between the positions or stations of the Tuscarora surveys; the shorter intervals will thus determine more closely and perfectly the contour of the ocean bed, preparatory to the

actual laying of the cable. The San Francisco line will doubtless be adopted, not only because of the greater imalso owing to the fact of shorter distance as com-

pared with the route to San Diego. When once cable communication is established between North America and the Hawaiian Islands, extension to other points in the Pacific

will surely follow. Australia, now sending her European mails across the Continent of America, already clamors for direct telegraphic touch with the United States and the Dominion of Canada. In connection with her neighbour and sister colony, New Zealand, she is fast becoming such a giant in increase of population, growth of wealth, and fervor of political aspiration and demand, that she will be apt to get what she wants, or know the reasons to the contrary.

The preliminary survey for a cable line to Brisbane from Honolulu via the Phoenix and Fiji Grouns, has already been made. This was done in 1876, by Captain J. N. Miller, U.S.N., then in command of the Tuscarora. The deepest water found in the 107 soundings made deemed to be practicable.

Yokohama, June 29th, 1891.

NEWS BY THE AMERICAN MAIL.

LONDON, June oth. .

England is prepared. The governors of the and who cast an angry glance at his insulters. bank are about to issue an announcement that the Baring liquidation is proceeding satisfac-

The balance sheet of liquidators of Baring But commercially and financially considered, Brothers shows liabilities of \$35,000,000;

The echoes of the baccarat scandal suit still her. fill the sir. Sollcitor-General Sir Edward Clarke is ill and thoroughly exhausted to-day. He has was retained for to-day.

The denunciation of the Prince of Wales by freely asserted that the revelations made during The peoples who look upon the vast waters of the trial of the baccarat scandal suit in court are the Pacific as their commercial home and judged to have done more to imperil the mon-

Japan, on the North West of this great ocean, Chronicle-to the effect that until the Prince of is daily growing in importance among the Wales, on oath, swears, as "his confederates" Cross of the Legion of Honor, the case against nations and enlarging her maritime horizon; to did, that he (the Prince) did not violate the him must be tried in the Court of Appeals, of the South West a great nation-Australia-is solemn pledge he gave to Sir William Gordon which he is a member. The Government fast arising, destined soon-with her sister Cumming, he, the heir-apparent, tests under an ordered the prosecution as a formality to prevent country New Zealand—to dominate commer- imputation of dishonor quite as shameful as that the statute of limitation operating before a cially and politically the greater part, if not all, of which the jury put upon Sir William Gordon judicial inquiry into the causes of the failure to Polynesia; to the North East the transcontinen- Cumming-reflects the general feeling on the finish the Panama canal.

The Queen does not attempt to conceal the that region, are stimulating with tireless energy fact that she is angry with everyone connected that he is not aware that any steps have been and marvellous power the growth and wealth of with the baccarat scandal, and the effect of her taken to prosecute him or his son, or any of the

the Isthmus of Nicaragua-likely to be opened suit were \$25,000. He told a friend to-day that canal enterprise were legal and above board. to traffic within the next decade-opens new it was not the lady mentioned, but another, high vistas of commercial routes of both the Atlantic in society, who was the principal factor in the

will spring from the possibly not distant opening personal appearance of depression or emotion of the Siberian railway, now in process of con- resulting from yesterday's verdict. The lady and Sir William Gordon Cumming left this city Bearing this picture in mind, a glance at a shortly after the ceremony for the bridegroom's condemnation. The Boards of Guardians are

observation and opportunity, would be folly ding party, including Gordon Cumming's sister have been warned that Mr. Gladstone resents of to heavy fines, or to both.

The position of matters so far as it can be the movement, and the leaders of the opposition and Miss Garner's aunt, with Lord Vernon. The movement, and the leaders of the opposition ascertained is that the merchandise on the will actively show their repugnance to association ascertained is that the merchandise on the will actively show their repugnance to association. man was the sexton, who did not know until the ling Liberalism with an agreeton tending to cast Omake has been seized and held for duty, the

The service occupied less than five minutes, whether under the imperial fire of England, the and was performed by a third-rate rector, whom

'cheerful, but even radiantly happy. She marched out of the church on her husband's arm. She was dressed in a pearl-gray walking suit, with hat to maich, just as if out for a morning's shopping, Sir W. Gordon Cumming was arrayed as though going to the Ascat races, not the slightest thing about his appearance indicating the bride-

The bride and bridegroom, after the ceremony, breakfasted with Lord Middleton, Sir William Gordon Cumming's brother-in-law. Sir William has received over seventy letters expressing sympathy with him in his troubles. It is now definitely known that Six William and his wife will make a visit to the. United States in the

NOTTINGHAM, June 11th The anti-baccarat crusade was earnestly begun and will probably extend rapidly all over the Kingdom. The landlord of the Albert Hotel was arrested and fined Lio yesterday and his licence was revoked for keeping his house open fter regulation hours and permitting the obnoxinus baccarat to be played therein. Five others who were indulging in this game so much loved by the Prince of Wales were fined fit each. LONDON, June 11th.

Sir William Gordon Cumming has resigned from all the clubs of which he was, a member. His costs in the suit were \$25,000. It is said he will relate his own version of the baccarat scandal in a small volume in which he will deal particularly with what he calls the rascality of Lycett Green, and the manner in which the Prince of Wales keeps secrets.

The outspoken newspaper comments upon the part the Prince of Wales played in the baccarat scandal continue to be the sensation of the day in England and elswhere. A newspaper reporter, who was present and near the Prince of Wales to-day at Ascot, says the Prince is in a very sulky frame of mind, caused, it would appear, by the storm of adverse newspaper criticism which has swept and is still sweeping over the heir apparent.

The Religious Press, as might be expected of a religious weekly paper, representing all the Protestant denominations, says, for instance : The throne rests, upon the foundation of public opinion only. A few more scandals like that at Tranby Croft would destroy the foundation and Edward VIII would never be crowned.

The Vienna correspondent' of the Times. save that the baccarat scandal has caused a sensation in army circles on the Continent, especially in countries where the Prince of Wales is an honorary Colonel in special regiments.

The Globe this evening says both the army and navy feel most keenly the stigma which is placed upon the honorable profession by the agreement entered into between a Field Marshal and a General to maintain secreey in regard to portance of that city as a commercial centre, but gambling, and by gambling with youngsters,

Sir W. Gordon Cumming and bride are experiencing the unpleasantness of the position in which they have been placed by the verdict in the baccarat case. They were absolutely cut by society. At Wollaton Hall, the Nottinghamshire county seat of Lord Middleton, to which they went yesterday after the wedding, no one of the neighbors called on them, and when they arrived at the railway station last evening they were ignored by those gathered about and were compelled to drive to the hall in a cab.

The Prince of Wales was groaned and hissed at Ascot to-day. A tremendous pressure is being brought to bear on the London papers to suppress the news, and it may probably succeed for a day or two, but there is no doubt of the fact. It seems that as the Prince was driving up with a party of his friends a crowd in the vicinity. composed mostly of well-dressed people, but with a sprinking of the rougher elements, hooted and jeered his royal highness, making sarcastic allusions to the baccarat scandal.

Some cried out: "Have you brought your counters with you?" Others indulged in more offensive allusions.

The aristocratic group around the Prince, though apparently too astonished to be in ful possession of their wits, managed to make counter demonstration of a weak sort in support Russia is drawing gold, but the Bank of of the Prince, who was himself pale with anger This is the first time that a disrespectful demonstration has ever been made against the even more significant than the lecturing that he has been getting for the past two days from religious and secular newspapers.

Lady Gordon Cumming's family have disowned PARIS, June 11th.

The National to-day announces that M. de entirely lost the use of his voice, and is obliged Lesseps is to be prosecuted for misleading to retire from an important case in which he investors who subscribed money for carrying on the work of the Panama canal.

In consequence of the fact that sixty shareholders in the Panama Canal Company have filed a complaint against the officers of the company, the prosecution of those officials will open with placing M. de Lesseps, his son and two other directors upon trial. The action of the dominion, are about entering upon an epoch of archy than any event which has taken place for prosecution is taken by virtue of the law relating

The flat assertion made by the Datty upon the last issue of Panama canal shares. De Lesseps being the possessor of the Grand

In an interview to-day M, de Lesseps declared asserts that it would be impossible to take such a Sir William Gordon Cumming's costs in the step, as all his acts in regard to the Panama

The storm rising around the Prince of Wales is fast gaining in intensity, endangering his. bably be more benefited by this new avenue | Sir William Gordon Cumming was married chances of succession to the throne, if not the for maritime enterprise and expansion than this morning in the Holy Trinity Church at existence of the English monarchy. No class found. Japan; nor should be overlooked, in this Chelses to Miss Florence Garner, daughter of appears to be stirred so deeply as the great foreshadowing of widespread progress and the late Commodore William Garner of New middle class, the real strength of the country development over the vast area of the Pacific, York city. Only twelve people were present, and hitherto the solid prop of the monarchy. including the opporturities afforded by the The marriage was practically a secret marriage, Wherever its voice becomes audible its carnest

Representative gatherings of religious bodies .-Congregational, Methodist, Baptist, Unitarian and Presbyterian-have already recorded their chart of the Pacific will Indicate to the most estate, Altyre, near Forres, in Scotland, were going out of their accustomed paths to discuss motions branding the gambling proposities of smuggling," of the Prince of Wales as a disgrace to the country. Several Liberal societies have adopted

Ere long the glowing flerceness of popular heat must penetrate to the core of politics, causing party action within and without Parliament. The Radical members of the Commons are opening the attack on the Prince, but they To doubt that such consummation will be ceremony was half over who the couple were discredit on the crown. The Radicals will not guilty officers are awaiting the dictum, of Secremilitary authorities involving in the same official Attorney has a package of indictments ready: to

Conferences have been held at the War. Office.

Redvers Buller and Colonel Stracey, and it is reported that they decided that the Prince ic Wales, General Williams and Levett committe! no offence against military law, but only technical breach of the regulations. In reference to the Earl of Coventry it is reported that he intimated a readiness to resign the office of Mister of the Buckhounds, but acceptance was delayed until the Government sees how Lord Coventry's retirement is likely to affect the position of the Prince of Wales. if .

The club sentiment naturally supports the Prince, nor has the scandal lessened the Prin popularity in the turl set. The rumors of hi bad reception at Ascot are a perversion of the facts. Court circles are much exercised over letters from the German court reflecting the opinion of Emperor William. It is believed that the Emperor has written the Queen a long and serious criticism on the Prince's life, dilating especially upon the gambling of officers as in grave offence to military honor, made worse by the signing of a paper permitting the Goldhel of the Guards, convicted of cheating, to retain his commission in the army.

The Queen, it is said, forwarded the letter to the Prince of Wales. Sir William Gordon Cumming, at the request of the officials of Forres, reconsidered his refusal of a public welcome, and the town will make a holiday of the occasion. Cumming has announced that he is willian to meet the charge of playing an illegal gamer

At a meeting of St. Olave's Guardians in South London last night a member moved a resolution declaring the gambling of the Prince of Wales's disgrace to the country. The chairman refused to allow the motion to be put, and an exciting scene followed. Friends of the mover - valuable remedies, in a palatable and easily of the resolution denounced the prince in up in disorder.

EXTENSIVE SMUGGLING BY THE U.S. PACIFIC SQUADRON.

The San Francisco Chronicle of the 11th ulto, says :-

For a long time rumors have been affoat that our naval Vessels returning from the Aslatic station have smuggled into ports valuable merchandise from China and Japan. These rumors, were of so sensational a character, however, that they had no effect with the customs authorities It was difficult to imagine an officer of the American navy descending to smuggling and outraging one of the leading criminal statutes of

the United States. But the arrival of the Swatara several months ago aroused the suspicions of the revenue men. It was noticed very soon after the Swalara's advent here that several gay belles, apt in the steps of the military cotillon, hobnobbed with the cruiser's officers in rich dresses made of China fabrics. Handsome Japanese fans-not the gross paper mastodons, but gold-mounted. silk-bodied fans, decorated the pariors of many of our four hundred. Not a few of our social lions affected Japanese smoking growns, and puffed Havanas through Japanese holders.

From that time on it is stated the customs officers kept a wary eye on incoming navy vessels, and adding two and two together became pretty certain that the sum was four. With flying pennants the cruiser Omaha, once the flagship of the Asiatic squadron, came home

from China a few weeks ago. It has always been the custom for paval commanders to submit to the pert collector an inventory of whatever merchandise, outside of personal effects, there might be on board their vessels. But the Omaha neglected the embarrassing obligation and proceeded directly to Mare island. · Until within a few days ago the customs

authorities gave no indication of any suspicions of the legitimacy of the Omaha's imports. But one day...last week an unobtrusive, Treasury agent startled quite a coterie of navy officers by. making a professional visit to Mare Island. There are reasons for believing that Inspector Noyes, for he was the agent sent, had not calculated upon experiencing any great surprises. But he tumbled across them by the boxful.

His investigations, it is said, carried him or the Omaka, where richer and rarer surprises awaited him. Whole seas of undulating silkspun Chinese gowns feasted his sight, and ugly little Japanese gods with high prices marked on their bald heads leered at him from boxes strewn about the officers' cabins. Costly bric-a-brac of every description was snugly packed away in cases labeled with Eastern addresses and ready for shipment. It is probable that Inspector Noyes rendered a detailed report to his superiors of what he had discovered, and, though strict official silence has since been observed, the interesting as well as the ugly features of the scheme to defraud the revenue were fully related to a Chronicle reporter yesterday by a Mare island resident, who has full knowledge of the

Some of the principal officers of the Omaha are directly concerned in the smuggling

While the cruiser was in Japan they purchased to public companies, and is based especially quantities of merchandise, which, if properly appraised, would foot up thousands of dollars in value. The duty placed on silk imports is particularly heavy, and to avoid its payment the officers hid away their purchases. The unpacking took place when the Omaka went to Mare island. Wind of the operations reached the authorities and the investigation ensued.

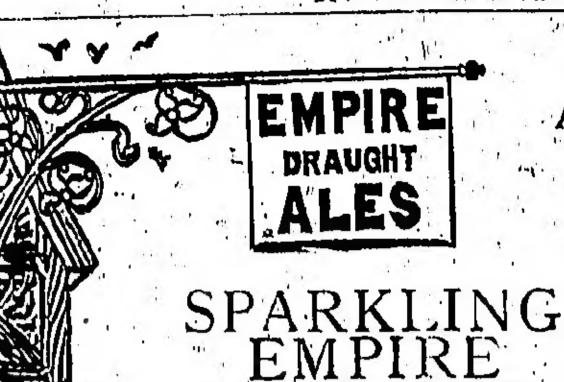
It is rumored that the entire lot of smuggled goods was brought to this city and submitted to. Appraiser Leavy for determination of value. The consignment has been treated as contraband merchandise and has practically been scited pending official investigation. The fears which the crestfallen officers feel of ensuing scandal are reported to be well founded. The appraisement by the authorities is said to mark some very high figures. One beautiful silk gown, elegantly trimmed with real gold lace-a dream in fabrics-was appraised at nearly \$1000. When rudely torn from its box an address to some Washington belie was

The discovery of the customs authorities has formed the nucleus of what will be a serious scandal in naval circles. It is certain that by this time the Secretary of the Navy has, through the Secretary of the Treasury, been informed of the serious offences committed against the customs laws by navy officers. A court-martial stares the offenders in the face. And, in addition, they are all liable to indictments on the grave charge of "conspiracy to defraud the Government of the United States by the act

Some of the principal officers of the Omana Palmatica (Counters Noand one or two officers of the Swatara are concorned in the smuggling. Beveral-packages-of Chinese-goods were forwarded East before the Treasury agents made their discovery.

The offenders, if indicted and convicted, will be liable either to long terms of imprisonment or to heavy fines, or to both.

reproof the Prince of Wales, General Williams, be filled out at a moment's notice. In many circles the scandal has been freely discussed, and the opinion is expressed that the Intimations.



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> CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

> (Ltd.), agents in Hongkong and China. - [Advt.

. 10th July, 1891.—At 4 p.m.

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The barometer is falling at northern stations. Gradients very gentle for easterly wisds upon the China coast. Weather warm, moist and unsettled. At 10 a.m. the following notice was issued. There is a depression in the China Sea to the west of Lucon. (Langed at stool a.m.)

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#### To-dan's Advertisements.

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MONDAY, the 13th July,

Plan now Open at Messrs. Kelly & Walsh. GENERAL ADMISSION :- 83, \$2 and \$1. Late Trams will run this evening at 8.45 pim. and thour after the Performance. Hotekong 11th July, 1891

#### To-day's Advertisements.

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"AMOY." Captain Th. Lehmann, will be despatched for the above Port TO-MORROW, the 12th instant,

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General Managers Hongkong, 11th July, 1891.

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FOR KOBE AND YOKOHAMA. THE Steamship "MACDUFF,"

Captain Porter, will be despatched as above on the 20th July. For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Hengkong, 11th July, 1801.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG, AND

SINGAPORE. CONSIGNEES of CARGO per Steamship

are hereby informed that their goods are being landed at their risk into the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's Godowns at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 17th

instant, will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Consignees are also hereby informed, that all claims must be made before the departure of the steamer, otherwise they will not be entertained. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Hongkong, 11th July, 1891.

NOTICE.

PUBLIC MEETING will be held in the CITY HALL on WEDNESDAY next, the 15th instant, at 4.30 p.m., to take into considerstion the appointment of a Consul to represent His Imperial Majesty the Emperor of China in Hongkong. Hongkong, 11th July, 1801.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

No. 299.

TNFORMATION has been received from the Military Authorities that ARTILLERY PRACTICE will take place from Belcher's Fort in Westerly and North-Westerly directions, and Stone-cutters! Island in Westerly and South-Westerly directions, on the 13th, 14th and 15th instants, and from Lyemun in a South-Easterly direction on the 16th, 17th and 18th instants, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. daily. All Ships, Junks and other Vessels are

cautioned to keep clear of the range. By Command, W. M. GOODMAN, Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 9th July, 1891.

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Specification may be seen and all Particulars obtained on application at the Admiralty Works Office, Royal Naval Yard. H. M. Naval Yard,

Coss 1 10th July, 1891, 1891

JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO. CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE:

THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS,

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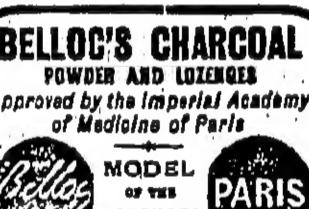
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# THE HONGRONG TELEGRAPH

# Commercial.

#### THE WEEK'S SHARE BUSINESS.

Hongkong, July 11th.

Owing principally to demands from the North a considerable amount of business has been done on the Rialto during the past week.

Banks. -H. and S. scrip has been dealt in to a limited extent, although during the early part of the week shares advanced to 202 per cent. premlum, cash, and 208 per cent, for the September settlement. However, since the results of the last half year's working have become known, they have dropped to 193 per cent. for the coming settlement and some sales have been effected at this rate. Shares can be had at 201 per cent. for September: the market closed steady at these quotations.

The scrip of the Bank of China and Japan has changed hands at 171, cash, cum New Issue and shares are now wanted at 17 ex New Issue.

The National Bank of China's shares have been done at 50 per cent. discount for cash, and further shares are being freely offered at. this quotation.

Sugar Refineries.—Chinas have steadily advanced to 187 for cash but closed weak. Luzons-are being freely offered at

Docks.-Some sales have been effected at 101 per cent. for the settlement but they seem to be out of favor now at 100 per cent, premium.

Fires.-Hongkongs have been done at 315 and further shares are obtainable at this rate. Chinas are wanted at 82.

Insurances.—Traders are quoted and business has been done in them at 63 and 631 and closed with further buyers at the latter rate. Yangtszes have been done at Tis. 100 per share. Other stocks under this heading are quiet.

Land and Building .- Hongkong Lands are being freely offered at 84 for cash. West Point Building shares are also freely offered at \$25.

Shipping.-China and Manilas have been done at \$75 per share and further shares could be placed at this rate, Douglas ' are being freely offered at 844 per share but there are buyers to a limited number at 42. Indo-Chinas were done at 271 per cent. discount cum dividend and there are now buyers at 30 per cent, ex the 12th. div.. Hongkong, Canton and Macao Steamboat Company's shares have been largely dealt in at rates from 332 to 35 for cash. Some thousands of shares are reported to have been bought for the North. However shares can now be obtained at 341 for cash and 35 for August.

Mining.—Charbonnages have been done at from \$250 to \$300 pershare and moreare now wanted at the latter rate. Imuris have been largely done at 91 and 10 cum New Issue and they are now wanted at 94 ex.-Jelebus have also been done at from 21 to 41 for cash but are now offered at 3-Raubs have been done at 85 cents per share, Punjoms were done at 4 & 41.

Miscellaneous-Ices have been done at 88 for cash and Wharves at 83 and further shares are wanted at these rates.

## LATEST QUOTATIONS.

Hongkong and Shanghal Bank, cum New Issue -193 per cent. premlum, sellers. Union Insurance Society of Canton-\$95 per

share, buyers. China Traders' Insurance Company-\$631 per share, sales and buyers.

North China Insurance-Tls. 275 per share, Canton Insurance Company, Limited-\$115 per.

share, sellers. Yangtere Insurance Association-Tis. 100 per share, buyers.

On Tal Insurance Company, Limited-Tls. 150 Hongkong Fire Insurance Company-\$315 per share, buyers.

China Fire Insurance Company-\$82 per share, buyers. Hongkong and Whampos Dock Company-\$100

per cent. premlum, buyers. Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co.-\$34% per share, sales. China and Manlia Steam Ship Company-105

per share, buyers. Hongkong Gas Company-\$131 per share, Hongkong Hotel Company-\$120 per share,

Hongkong Hotel Co.'s Six per-cent. Debentures

Indo-China Steam Navigation Company, Limited -27 per cent. discount, buyers. Douglas Steamship Company 343 per share,

sellers. China Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$187 per share, buyers. Luxon Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$86

per share, buyers. Hongkong Ice Company-288 per share, sellers. Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited -\$75 per share.

Hongkong Dairy Farm Co., Limited-\$7 per share, sales. A. S. Watson & Co., Limited-\$20 per share, July 11, Kwongsang, British str., for Swatow. ex. div., sales and buyers. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 B-21 per cent.

premium, sellers. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1884 C-5 per cent. premium, buyers.

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The Hongkoug Steam Laundry Co., Limited-\$25 per share, nominal. Punjom and Sunghle Dua Samantan Mining Co. The Raub Gold Mining Co., Limited \$0.85 per

Imuris Mining Co., Limited-491 per share, The Balmoral Gold Mining Co., Limited-\$4 per share, sellers. Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company-\$83 per share, buyers.

Tonquin Coal Mining Co.-\$100 per share, The Hongkong High-Level Tramway Limited-\$65 per share, buyers. H. G. Browa & Co., Limited-\$50 per share,

Cruickshank & Co., Limited-325 per share, The Steam Launch Co. Limited -mention

HONGRONG, SATURDAY, JULY 11, 1891. The Austin Arms Hotel and Building Company, Limited-\$10 per share, sellers.

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The Hongkong Land Investment Co., Limited-\$84 per share, sellere.

The Hongkong Electric Light Co., Limited-\$6 per share, sellers. Geo. Fenwick & Co., Limited-\$151 per share,

The West Point Buildings Co., Limited-\$25 per share, sellers. per share, sellers. The Labuk Planting Co., Limited-\$15 per

share, sellers. The Jelebu Mining and Tracing Co., Limited-\$4 per share, sellers. The Sclama Tin Mining Co., Limited-75 cents

per share, sellers. The Shameen Hotel Co., Limited-nominal. The Kowloon Land Investment Co., Limited-

\$15 per share, buyers. The Bank of China & Japan & the Straits Ld .-\$171 per share, buyers. The Bank of China & Japan & the Straits Ld .-

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#### MAILS EXPECTED.

THE FRENCH MAIL The Messageries Maritimes Co.'s steamer Melbourns, with the French mail of the 12th ultimo, left Salgon on the 11th instant at 4 p.m. and may be expected here on the 14th.

#### STEAMERS EXPECTED.

The 'Shire' line steamer Radnorshire left Singapore on the 6th instant and is due here on

The Austro-Hungarian Lloyd's S. N. Co.'s steamer Thisbs, from Bombay, left Singapore on the afternoon of the 7th instant and is due here

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer Canton left Bombay on the 28th ultimo and is due here on the 14th instant.

The Ocean Steamship Co.'s steamer Fason, from Liverpool, left Singapore on the 8th Instant and is due here on the 14th.

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ARRIVALS.

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KWANGLEE, Lincoln, 11th July,-Shanghal 7th July, General.-C. M. S. N. Co. INGO, German steamer, 672, Jesselsen, 11th July,-Tientsin 27th June, and Shanghai

6th July, Bones,-Meyer & Co. JAPAN, British steamer, 1,865, J. G. Ollient, 11th July,-Calcutta 24th June, Penang 3rd July, and Singapore 5th, Opium and General.-D. Sassoon, Sons & Co.

AMOY, German steamer, 814, Th. Lehmann, 11th July,-Whampon' 11th July, General. -Slemssen & Co. GLENGYLE, British steamer, 2,242, R. J. Gasson, 11th July,-Swatow 10th July, Tea.-Jar-

dine. Matheson & Co. HERMAN WEDEL JARLSBERG, Norwegian str., 1,958, N. Houge, 11th July,-Singapore 5th July, General,-Order.

COLLINGHAM, British steamer, 1,640, G. W. Watson, 11th July,-Kutchinotzu 5th July, Coals.-Mitsul Bussan Kalsha.

CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE. Delta, French steamer, for Halphong. Chingtu, British steamer, for Shanghai. Amoy, German steamer, for Swatow, &c. Lydle, German steamer, for Yokohama, &c. Smuh, Chineso steamer, for Swatow. Diamente, British steamer, for Manila. Asagao, Japanese steamer, for Nagasaki. Monghut, British steamer, for Yokohama.

DEPARTURES. July. 11, Libelle, British str., for Whampos. July 11, Verona, Braish str., for Nagasaki, &c.

July 12, Chow-chow-foo, German steamer, for Swatow, &cc. July 12, Chingtu, British str., for Shanghal. July 12, Diamante, British str., for Manila.

July 12, Else, German steamer, for Maulla." PASSENGERS—ARRIVALS. Per Ingo, str., from Tientelo, &c .-- I Euro-

Per Asagao, str., from Nagasaki,-1 Chinese and 6 Japanes

Per Kwangles, str., from Shanghai, -75 Per Japan, str., from Calcutta, &c. -Messrs. Behan, Pampel, 3 Bengalese, and 308 Chinese-

Per Glengyle, str., from Swatow.-Mr. Rogers and a children, and 280 Chinese. DEPARTED.

Per Peshawur, str., from Hongkong for Singapote.—Baron H. de Hacedtl. For Bombay.— Messis. N. P. Dhalla, and J. P. Vesunia. For Ismallia .- Mr. J. W. Girdlestone. For Malta .-Mr. Luigi Baldacchino. For Brindisi .- Mr. Dewen, For London.-Messrs, Hagen and E. H. O. Little, For Brindish.-Mr. Schmidt. For London .- Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Coultas and 2 children, Mr. and Mrs. Harris, Mrs. Ramsay. I and extiliciting and Men Lindstrom and inlant.

REPORTS. The Norwegian steamship Herman Wedel

Jarisberg reports that she left Singapore on the 5th instant. Had fine weather. The British steamship Glengyle reports that she left Swatow on the 10th instant. Had north-

east winds from Swatow, and rain squalls. The British steamship Japan reports that she left Calcutta on the 24th ultimo, Penang on the 3rd instant, and Singapore on the afternoon of the 5th: Experienced light south-west monsoon

and fine weather throughout the voyage. The Chinese steamship Kwangles reports that she left Shanghai on the 7th instant. Had light to moderate south winds with rainy unsettled weather, and low glass to Turnabout; thence to The Peak Hotel and Trading Co., Limited-\$5 | Hongkong had light variable winds and fine weather with low glass.

# Wost Office.

A MAIL WILL CLOSE. For Swatow and Shanghai.—Per Ardgay morrow, the 12th instant, at 9.00 A.M. For Yokohama and Kobe.-Per Lydia to morrow, the 12th instant, at 9.00 A.M.

For Shanghal.-Per Amoy to-morrow, the 2th Instant, at 9.00 A.M. For Nagasaki.—Per Asagao to-morrow, the

2th instant, at 9.00 A.M. For Holhow and Halphong.-Per Delta on Monday, the 13th instant, at 7,30 A.M. For Swatow and Bangkok.—Per Phra Nang

on Monday, the 13th instant, at 9.30 A.m. For Amoy and Manila,-Per Yiksang on Monday, the rath instant, at 3.30-P.M. For Straits and London,-Per Glengyle on Monday, the 13th instant, at 3.30 P.M. For Swatow, Amoy, and Foochow.-Per Hal-

phong on Tuesday, the 14th instant, at 11.30 For Europe, &c., Australia, India, via Madras, and Mauritius .- Per Caledonies on Wednesday,

the 15th instant, at 11.00 A.M. For Amoy and Manila,-Per Don Fuan on Wednesday, the 15th instant, at 3.30 P.M. For Yokohama and San Francisco,-Per

Oceanic on Saturday, the 18th instant, at 0.30 For Shanghai, Yokohama, Victoria, and Vanconver, B.C.—Per Parthia on Tuesday, the 21st

instant, at 14.30 A.M. For Europe, &c., &c.-Per Sachsen on Saturday, the 1st August, at 5.00 P.M.

## SHIPPING IN HONGKONG.

STRAMERS. ACTIV, Danish steamer, 355, H. Hygam, 5th July,-Hoihow 3rd July, General,-Arnhold, Karberg & Co.

AMIGO, German steamer, 771, C. G. Krudner, 4th July.-Mauritius and Singapore, 10th June, Old Iron.-Wieler & Co. ARDGAY, British steamer, 1,084, J. Thom, 9th

July,-Singapore 3rd July, General,-Jardine, Matheson & Co. DECIMA, German steamer, 965, C. Christensen, 5th July,-Samarang 25th July, General.-Geo. R. Stevens & Co.

DELTA, French steamer, 717, Abbal, 9th July,-Haiphong 6th July, General,-Messageries Maritimes. FAME, British steamer, 117, Lieut. Wm. G.

Comley, R.N.R.--Hongkong Government GUTHRIE, British steamer, 1,394, P. Helms, 10th July,-Sydney 20th June, Brisbane 22nd. Townsend 25th, Cooktown 27th, and Thursday Island 29th, General.—Gibb, Livingston

HAILOONG, British steamer, 783, J. Roach, 8th July,-Tamsul and July, and Amoy 6th, General.-D. Lapraik Co. INDEPENDENT, German steamer, 871, T. Schall,

7th July,-Honolulu 10th June, Ballast.-Wieler & Co. Lydia, German steamer, 1,186, Forck, 9th July, General. July,—Singapore 4th

lemssen & Co. MONGKUT, British steamer, 859, G. Anderson, 3rd July,-Bangkok 23rd June, and Koh-sichang 26th, Rice.-Yuen Fat Hong. NINGPO, German steamer, 762, R. Kohler, 4th July,-Whampoa 4th July, General.-

Siemssen & Co. OCEANIC, British steamer, 3,808, W. M. Smith, 9th July,-San Francisco 13th June, Hono-Julu 20th, and Yokohama 4th July, Mails and General .- O. & O. S. S. Co. PHRA NANG, British steamer, 1,021, W. H.

Watton, 9th July,-Bangkok 29th June, and Koh-si-chang 3rd July, General.—Yuen Fat PILOT FISH, British steamer, 161, A. Stopani.

Hongkong and Whampon Dock Co. RIVERSDALE, British steamer, 1,311, J. Mooney, 5th July,-Nagasaki 28th June, Coals,-Mitsu Blshi Colllery.

SIEHAN, British steamer, 983, E. F. Stowell, July, Saigon and July, General,-Chinese. SMITH, Chinese steamer, 704, H. Leffler, 10th

July, -Swatowoth July, General. -Saunders THINAN, British steamer, 1,640, W. N. Allison, oth July, Foochow 7th July, Tea. But-terfield & Swire.

SAILING VERSELS.

CALBURGA, British ship, 1,350, Douglas, 4th June,-New York 23rd January, Petroleum. -Russell & Co. CARL FRIEDRICHS, German ship, 2,040, H.

Fröhlich, 5th July,-Cardiff 21st March, Coals. -- Melchers & Co. EMIKORNIO, Chinese bark, 457, Opium Examination hulk, Stonecutters' Island. Customs.

GEORGIETTA, American bark, 985, Kasten, 18th June,-Singapore 5th June, Timber,-ISAAC REED, American ship, 1,489, F. D. Waldo,

25th May -- New York 23rd Nov., Kerosene Oil.—Russell & Co. MARIA, Spanish schooner, 51, Francisco Oloneo, 9th July,-Manila 18th June, Ballast,-

McLauren, American ship, 1,313, F. L. Oakes, 28th April,-New York 30th November,

Petroleum.-Order. MINNIE G. WHITING, British bark, 1,221, W. H. Smith, 18th June,-New York and Feb., Kerosene Oil.—Jard'e, Matheson & Co. OMEGA, British bark, 480, A. V. Brown, 23rd

May, Singapore 24th April, Timber. Master. P. N. BLANCHARD, American ship, 1,503, N. W.

Blanchard, 12th June, -Salgon 6th June, Rice,-Captain, STANFIELD, British bark, 590, J. Clark, 3rd

July,-Sourabaya 14th June, Ballast.-Captain. VELOCITY, British bark, 491, R. Martin, 26th May,-Honolulu 19th April, General,-

KENIA. American bark, 2.236. L. D. Smith. 8th July,-Newcastle, N.S.W., 14th May, Coals. -Geo, R. Stevens & Co.

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